[JUNE, MDCCLXXIII.] THE [NUMB. 392.]

SOUTH-CAROLINA AND COUNTRY GAZETTE; JOURNAL.

Containing the freſheſt Advices, both Foreign and Domeſtic.

TUESDAY, JUNE 1, 1773.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

CHARLES-TOWN DISTRICT.

In the Court of General Seſſions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Aſſize and General Goal-Delivery, begun and holden at Charles-Town, on Tueſday the 18th of May, 1773.

IT IS ORDERED,

THAT the PRESENTMENTS of the GRAND-JURY, at the preſent Seſſions, be publiſhed in the ſeveral Gazettes of this Province.

By the Court,
JAMES JOHNSTON, C. C. & P.

THE PRESENTMENTS of the GRAND-JURORS for the Diſtrict of Charles-Town, at a Court of General Seſſions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Aſſize and General Goal-Delivery, begun and holden at Charles-Town, on Tueſday the 18th Day of May, 1773.

I. WE preſent, as a Grievance, that the Law is not duly put in Force, that directs the Bakers of Bread in Charles-Town, to ſtamp their Names on the Loaves baked by them; and that the Weight of ſuch Bread is not duly inſpected by the Magiſtrates.

II. We preſent, as a Grievance, the Exportation of Indian Corn to Foreign Markets, many Thouſand Buſhels of that Article being lately exported, when it is ſo much wanted by the Inhabitants of this Province: And we do recommend, that the Law prohibiting the Exportation of that Grain, when the Price is above Fifteen Shillings for the Buſhel, be put in Force, if not expired.

III. We preſent, as a very great Grievance, the Reſort amongſt us of too many people of cloſe Connexion, whoſe Principles are diametrically oppoſite to the Doctrines of Chriſtianity, to the great Increaſe of Vice and Immorality, many of whom have been ſuſpected and detected in corrupting and ſeducing our Negroes to rob and ſteal, and of buying and receiving ſuch ſtolen Goods in ſo artful a Manner, that ſeldom any other Proof of their vile Practices can be had, but the Confeſſion of Negroes: And we do recommend, that ſome Steps be taken for the Suppreſſion of this growing Evil.

IV. We preſent, as a Grievance, the Law for preventing the exceſſive and coſtly Apparel of Negroes and other Slaves in this Province (eſpecially in Charles-Town) not being put in Force; as it would in a great Meaſure prevent the Robberies that are ſo frequently committed by them, in Order to ſupport and maintain the preſent Extravagance of their Dreſs, which Mode we conceive to be beyond their Means and Stations of Life to obtain in a juſt and honeſt Way.

V. We preſent the Officers of the Charles-Town Watch Company, for Neglect of Duty, in not taking up every Negro found in the Streets not agreeable to Law after Tattoo, and keeping them confined until Morning, and acquainting their Maſters therewith: And alſo, for not patroling the Streets on Sundays, eſpecially during divine Service, and for not apprehending, confining and puniſhing impudent, noiſy and troubleſome Negroes, Mulattoes and Muſlee Slaves, who ſhall ſo offend, eſpecially where they find above Five of them together. For it is well known, that not one Half of the Number of Men required by Law do attend their Duty on Sunday, and at Night; that in the Afternoon on Sundays, the Watch-Houſe is frequently ſhut up and not a Man on Duty: Whereas the Law requires Two-thirds of the whole Company ſhall be conſtantly on Duty, from Sunday Sun-riſe to Monday at Sun-riſe.

VI. We preſent, as a Grievance, that the Huckſtering and Selling Dry Goods, cooked Rice, and other Victuals, is ſtill practiſed about the Markets and Streets of Charles-Town, by Negroes; whoſe Supply for carrying on their Traffic is from Theft or unfair Purchaſes, and hath this great Evil ariſing from it, that Run-away Slaves of Charles-Town, and Country, are ſubſiſted daily thereby.

VII. We preſent, as a great Grievance, the Narrowneſs of the Paſſage of the Draw-Gate, leading from Charles-Town to the Broad-Road, as dangerous, eſpecially in the Night Time; and recommend it ſhould be pulled down, and the Moat near it filled up; and alſo, the Badneſs of the Broad Road between Charles-Town and the Quarter-Houſe, eſpecially a little above John Gibbes and Thomas Shubrick, Eſquires.

VIII. We preſent, as a great Grievance, the preſent Practice of killing Calves, Sheep, &c. at the Lower-Market, which renders it very offenſive, and we apprehend may be avoided, if proper Poſts for that Purpoſe be erected to the Eaſtward of ſaid Market, and near the Dock: And we earneſtly recommend, that a Reviſal and Amendment be made of the preſent defective Market Law.

IX. We preſent, as a great Grievance, the Duty on Naval Stores and Lumber from the neighbouring Provinces; and recommend that it ſhould be taken off by the Legiſlature.

X. We recommend, that the Keepers of every Goal in the Province, ſhall be obliged to publiſh the Names, and a full Deſcription of every fugitive Slave confined in their reſpective Goals, together with the Names of the People to whom they belong, at leaſt once every Month in all the Gazettes of this Province.

XI. We preſent, as a Grievance, that Licences for retailing Spirituous Liquors are granted unto Conſtables and Watchmen, or their Wives, which renders it their Intereſt, to encourage thoſe Evils, which their Duty ſhould lead them to prevent; and do recommend, that, for the future, no Licences ſhall be granted to ſuch Perſons.

XII. We preſent, as a great Grievance, and ſincerely lament that among the great Number of *nominal*, the few *acting* Juſtices of the Peace, are not Gentlemen of ſuch independent Fortunes, as to render them above making a Trade of the Office, for a Livelihood; to which is manifeſtly owing, that the Sittings of the Courts of General Seſſions are greatly prolonged, to the great Injury of Jurors and others who are obliged to attend ſaid Courts, by the Time being taken up in many frivolous and litigious Proſecutions, which (but for the Accumulation of Charges) might be otherwiſe compromized or prevented, without the leaſt Violation of Law or Injury to the Public, many of which are within our own Knowledge.

XIII. We preſent, as a Grievance of no leſs Magnitude, that the Office of a Conſtable is rendered very unimportant and exceedingly contemptible, by Perſons of bad or doubtful Characters, deſtitute of Principle or Property, being generally choſen therein, who frequently commit tyrannical and illegal Acts (under Colour of the Authority with which they are clothed) with Impunity, to the great Injury and Oppreſſion of the poorer Sort of People: We therefore recommend, that the Conſtables for this Diſtrict may always for the future be choſen from amongſt reputable Houſe-keepers, till a ſufficient Number of ſuch can be procured to ſerve, and reſtore to that Office its proper Dignity and Uſefulneſs.

XIV. We preſent, as a great Grievance, that the Preſentments of the Grand Jury are ſo little taken Notice of, as to be looked on as a mere Matter of Form; and do recommend, that all Preſentments made by any former Grand Juries, eſpecially the laſt, and theſe (that can be taken Notice of without any additional Aſſiſtance from the Legiſlature) be immediately put in Force: And that the Preſentments of the laſt Grand Jury, together with this, be laid before the Legiſlature.

ROBERT MACKENZIE, *Foreman*, (L. S.)
JOSEPH WIGFALL, (L. S.)
WILLIAM PARKER, (L. S.)
JOHN BERWICK, (L. S.)
JOHN CHAMPNEYS, (L. S.)
RENE PEYRE, (L. S.)
PAUL TOWNSEND, (L. S.)
SEDGWICK LEWIS, (L. S.)
BENJAMIN MAZYCK, (L. S.)
NATHAN LEGARE, (L. S.)
WILLIAM STANYARNE, (L. S.)
JOSEPH VERREE, (L. S.)
JOHN HOWELL, (L. S.)
DAVID ADAMS, (L. S.)
ISAAC LEGARE, (L. S.)
ALEXANDER RANTOWLE, (L. S.)
BLAKE-LEAY WHITE, (L. S.)

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

CAMDEN-DISTRICT.

APRIL-SESSIONS, 1773.

IT IS ORDERED,

THAT the PRESENTMENTS of the GRAND JURY for this Diſtrict, be publiſhed in the ſeveral Gazettes of this Province.

By the Court,
JAMES JOHNSTON, C. C. & P.

THE PRESENTMENTS of the GRAND-JURY for the Body of this Diſtrict, at a Court of General Seſſions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Aſſize and General Gaol-Delivery, begun and holden at Camden, on the fifth Day of April, in the Year of our Lord, 1773.

I. WE preſent William Ekrey and Lucy Feltmet for living together in an unlawful Manner, and keeping a diſorderly Houſe, by the Information of Bryan Ryley.

II. We preſent John Willſon, a Conſtable, and James Dabney, for refuſing to aid and aſſiſt John Miles, Conſtable, when called upon to ſecure and keep in Cuſtody James Pace, when taken by a legal Warrant under the Hand and Seal of Henry Patrick, Eſquire; for Want of which Aid and Aſſiſtance, the Priſoner made his Eſcape, by the Information of the ſaid John Miles.

III. We preſent William Denkins for ſtopping and changing the King's High Road for his own Convenience, and to the Let and Hindrance of Travellers.

IV. We preſent as a Grievance, the Want of a Vagrant or ſome ſimilar Act, for Want of which the great Number of diſorderly and idle Perſons, going from Place to Place, are become a Peſt and Nuiſance to the Inhabitants.

V. We preſent as a Grievance, the Want of a Law to encourage the killing and deſtroying of Beaſts of Prey, ſuch as Wolves, Tygers, Bears, &c. &c. which it is found, grow very numerous, and of Courſe very detrimental to the Inhabitants.

VI. We preſent as a great Grievance, the Want of a better Road, Ferry and Communication from the Back Parts of this Diſtrict to Charles-Town, the preſent Way being at many Times of the Year, by the Freſhes, &c. rendered quite impaſſable.

VII. We preſent as a very great Grievance, the Want of a ſufficient Wall round the common Gaol, for Want of which the Friends and Accomplices of the Priſoners have too eaſy and frequent Acceſs to aſſiſt them in making Eſcapes, &c.

RICHARD RICHARDSON, *Foreman*, (L. S.)
JOHN CHESNUT, (L. S.)
JAMES M'GIRTT, (L. S.)
JOHN M'DOW, (L. S.)
THOMAS SUMTER, (L. S.)
JOHN SULLIVAN, (L. S.)
JAMES HARPER, (L. S.)
ISHAM MOORE, (L. S.)
DANIEL M'DONALD, (L. S.)
THOMAS CASILY, (L. S.)
HENRY HUNTER, (L. S.)
DAVID NEILSON, (L. S.)
JAMES BRADLEY, (L. S.)
ROBERT BALTON, (L. S.)
JOHN CANTEY, (L. S.)
AARON FRIERSON, (L. S.)
ISAAC ROSS, (L. S.)
SYLVESTER DUNN, (L. S.)
ROBERT ENGLISH, (L. S.)
SAMUEL CLARK, (L. S.)
JOHN PERKINS, ſen. (L. S.)
JOSEPH CANTEY, (L. S.)

TO BE SOLD, the Owner having no Occaſion for them,

A Remarkable honeſt and ſober Negro Wench, who can Cook, Waſh, Iron, and do all Kind of Houſe-Work: Alſo, a young Negro Wench, who can Cook, Waſh, and do Houſe-Work: And two Negro Boys, who can wait in a Houſe. For Particulars, apply to the Printer.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

CHERAWS-DISTRICT.

APRIL-SESSIONS, 1773.

IT IS ORDERED,

THAT the PRESENTMENTS of the GRAND-JURY for this Diſtrict, be publiſhed in the ſeveral Gazettes of this Province.

By the Court,
JAMES JOHNSTON, C. C. & P.

THE PRESENTMENTS of the GRAND-JURY for this Diſtrict of the Province, at a Court of General Seſſions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Aſſize and General Gaol Delivery, begun and holden at the Long Bluff, Cheraws, on Thurſday the 15th Day of April, 1773.

I. WE preſent as a Grievance, the Want of a Law for cleanſing Pedee River.

II. We preſent as a Grievance, the Want of a Bridge over Thompſon's Creek, and alſo over Black Creek, on the Road between the Cheraws and George-Town.

III. We preſent as a Grievance, the Want of a Free-School in this Diſtrict.

IV. We preſent as a Grievance, the general Neglect of the Militia and Patrole Acts, and recommend that they may be amended.

V. We preſent as a Grievance, the Want of a Vagrant Act; the Diſtrict being infeſted with many idle and diſorderly Perſons, who, having no viſible Means of Subſiſtance, either plunder the induſtrious Inhabitants, or become chargeable to the Pariſh.

VI. We preſent as a Grievance, the Want of a Chapel of Eaſe in the lower Part of the Diſtrict.

VII. We preſent as a Grievance, that the Lines of the Diſtrict are not run and aſcertained.

VIII. We recommend that a Law be paſſed, obliging Perſons not reſident in the Province, or their Agents, to give Security upon commencing any Suit in the Courts of Common Law, to pay the Coſts thereof, if a Verdict ſhall paſs for the Defendant; and alſo obliging Proſecutors, on behalf of the Crown, for Miſdemeanors, to pay the Coſts where the Defendants ſhall be acquitted, or not proſecuted to Trial.

IX. We preſent as a Grievance, that Witneſſes attending the Seſſions on Behalf of the Crown are not allowed their Expences.

X. We preſent as a Grievance, that neither the Laws of this Province nor the Statutes of Great Britain made of Force therein, are printed or publiſhed.

XI. We preſent Edward Jones, Conſtable, for a wilful Neglect of his Duty, on the Information of Unity Hunter.

XII. We preſent Joſeph Gourley, Eſq; one of the Juſtices for this Diſtrict, as a common Drunkard, a profane Swearer, and Diſturber of the Peace; on the Information of Robert Dowling.

XIII. We preſent as a Grievance, the Want of a Wall to incloſe the Gaol, and the Yard round the ſame, it being at preſent entirely open, by which Means Perſons from without can reach Inſtruments to the Priſoners within to facilitate their Eſcape; and alſo the Want of a Well for the Uſe of the ſame.

ALEXANDER MACKINTOSH, *Foreman*. (L. S.)
CLADIUS PEGUES, (L. S.)
WILLIAM JOHNSTON, (L. S.)
SAMUEL WISE, (L. S.)
THOMAS LIDE, (L. S.)
THOMAS JAMES, (L. S.)
ROBERT LIDE, (L. S.)
JOHN KIMBREUGH, (L. S.)
MARTIN KOLB, (L. S.)
JOHN MIKELL, (L. S.)
THOMAS BURTON, (L. S.)
THOMAS AYER, (L. S.)
JOHN HEUSTESS, (L. S.)
MALACHI MURFEE, (L. S.)
WILLIAM DEWITT, (L. S.)
THOMAS ELLERBE, (L. S.)
MARTIN DEWITT, (L. S.)
JOHN HITCHCOCK, (L. S.)
JOHN WILDS, (L. S.)
AARON DANIEL, (L. S.)
MAGNUS CARGELL, (L. S.)
ABEL WILDS, (L. S.)

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

GEORGE-TOWN DISTRICT.

APRIL SESSIONS, 1773.

IT IS ORDERED,

THAT the PRESENTMENTS of the GRAND JURY for this Diſtrict, be publiſhed in the ſeveral Gazettes of this Province.

By the Court,
JAMES JOHNSTON, C. C. & P.

THE PRESENTMENTS of the GRAND-JURY for the Body of the ſaid Diſtrict, at a Court of General Seſſions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Aſſize and General Gaol-Delivery, begun and holden at George Town, on the 26th of April, 1773.

I. WE preſent as a Grievance, the numerous tippling and gaming Houſes in and about Williamſburgh Townſhip; particularly Campbell's, Hall's, George Grum's, and William Streach's, as enſnaring to Youth, and hurtful to Society, dealing with and enticing Negroes to ſteal Proviſions, upon the Information of John Frierſon.

II. We preſent as a Grievance, the Want of proper Attendance at Murray's Ferry, over Santee, with the bad Condition of the Boats, upon the Information of John Friſſon.

JOB ROTHMAHLER, (L. S.)
THOMAS GODFREY, (L. S.)
WILLIAM GREEN, (L. S.)
JOHN GREGG, (L. S.)
ANTHONY MITCHELL, (L. S.)
WILLIAM BELLUNE, (L. S.)
SAMUEL DWIGHT, (L. S.)
THOMAS POTTS. (L. S.)
JOHN GLEN, (L. S.)
JAMES KEITH, (L. S.)
MOSES BROWN, (L. S.)
GEORGE SNOW, (L. S.)
JOHN WINTER, (L. S.)
JAMES FLEMING, (L. S.)
ROBERT WITHERSPOON, (L. S.)
ROBERT WILSON, (L. S.)
ALEXANDER M'CREE, (L. S.)
EDWARD DRAKE, (L. S.)

BOSTON, April 28.

The following unhappy affair happened on Friday se'nnight at the Globe Tavern, on Portsmouth Plains, in New-Hampshire: Mr. John King, who kept the said tavern, being at work in his garden, Mr. Joseph Moulton, jun. a Deputy Sheriff, attempted to take him for a sum of about forty dollars; King observing Moulton coming towards him, and suspecting his design, ran to a tree where he had left his gun; when Moulton came near him, he told him to keep at a distance, for he would not be taken by him; however, when he had got within about ten feet of King, he fired a full charge of goose shot in his face; Moulton was taken up by a person who saw King shot; and it was thought he would soon have expired; however, he was alive on Friday last, though but little hopes of his recovery. Three Doctors attend him, who think that both his eyes are out, part of his nose, and five or six teeth are shot away, and the whole of his face and head in a terrible condition. About a dozen shot have been extracted from his head. Two families are by this melancholy affair in very distressed circumstances.

Last Friday we had another specimen of the insolence of office, when R. Parker, big with a writ of assistance, presumed to break open several ware-houses on the Long-wharf, on pretence that he had information of contraband goods being lodged there, which was not the case, we say on pretence, for 'tis only for a dirty fellow to be induced to tell such an officer, that there is seizable goods in any stores, and they will be immediately broke open and exposed; nay, it is said Mr. Searcher boasted that he had a right to make as free with our bed-chambers---thus we see what a monster in this writ of assistance, is intrusted to the keeping of the petty officers of the navy as well as the custom-house, and the wisdom of those provinces who have not suffered such a monster of monsters to prowl about their streets for prey. As most of the men of war had lately sailed for Halifax, it is thought this wanton and affronti've behaviour was with design to excite an opposition in the trade, and so a pretence for the return of those Guarda Costas.

May 3. We hear that Thomas Oliver, Esq; of Cambridge, is appointed judge of the provincial courts of vice-admiralty for this province and New-Hampshire.

We also hear, that his Majesty has been pleased to grant as a salary to Daniel Horsmanden, Esq; chief justice of the province of New-York, the sum of five hundred pounds sterling per ann.

Last Friday afternoon arrived the Tartar frigate from Halifax.

And yesterday arrived the Gaspee brig from the same place, being a vessel lately commissioned in the room of one of the same name said to have been burnt at Providence some time since.

On Saturday sailed from below for Halifax, where they have for some time remained windbound, his Majesty's ship Captain, with several other men of war; also Captain Symmes for London, and a number of trading vessels for different ports.

We have now, *only* his Majesty's ships Fowey, Swan, Tartar, Gaspee and Halifax armed vessels in this harbour, to protect us from----------*ourselves*.

And, if a paragraph in the Newport Mercury of last Monday be true, which says, "that orders are arrived by the Packet for a number of men of war on *this* station to return immediately to England;" together with a report of *another* expedition to Newport (after the capital ships lately gone for Halifax are cleaned and *fitted for fighting*) we may possibly be left still more destitute of naval protection; which however, we imagine, will not be much lamented by our seafaring brethren, who are as much harrassed in coming in from sea (by press-boats) as they were when the British nation were at *open* war with their *natural* enemies.

The Cruiser Sloop of war, Captain Howe, is arrived at Newport from this port.

Raynham, *March* 6. This day departed this life, Lydia Brittun, who had completed 94 years. The longevity of this family is not a little remarkable. There were seven that lived to the following ages; one 94---another 93---another 89---another 85---another 75---another 70---and another 66. They were children of Captain James Leonard, of this place, whose posterity were as noted for their fertility as their longevity: His descendants amounting in the whole to almost a thousand souls.

PROVIDENCE, *(Rhode Island)* April 3.

At the Superior Court which sat here last week, a cause was tried, wherein Messieurs Clark and Nightingale, merchants, of this place, were Plaintiffs, and Charles Dudley, Esq; Collector of his Majesty's customs for the port of Rhode Island, Defendant. The Plaintiffs sued in an action of the case, for refusing to admit a post-entry sundry West-India goods, imported by them in June last, by which means the said goods were seized and forfeited. The jury brought in a special verdict, which was determined by the Court in favour of the Plaintiffs, five hundred pounds fourteen shillings and seven-pence sterling damages, and costs of suit.---The Collector has appealed home.

NEWPORT, *(Rhode-Island)* May 10.

Last Wednesday, agreeable to the Royal Charter of this colony, the annual General Election was held in this town, when the following gentlemen were elected to the offices ascribed to their respective names, for the year ensuing, viz.

The Honourable Joseph Wanton, Esq; Governor.-----The Honourable Darius Sessions, Esq; Deputy-Governor.----Samuel Dyre, Jame Barker, Solomon Drown, David Harris, John Almy, Thomas Wickes, Jonathan Randall, John Congdon, Rowland Robinson, and William Richmond, Esquires, Assistants.---Henry Ward, Esq; Secretary.---Henry Marchant, Esq; Attorney-General.---Joseph Clarke, Esq; General Treasurer.

Last Friday, the Lower House of Assembly of this colony unanimously came into the measures proposed by the patriotic House of Burgesses of Virginia; and appointed the Speaker, the Hon. Stephen Hopkins, Esq; Mr. Moses Brown, John Cole, William Bradford, Henry Marchant, and Henry Ward, Esqrs. a committee, to obtain the most early and authentic intelligence of all such acts and resolutions of the British Parliament, and measures of the Ministry, as may relate to, or affect, the British colonies in America; and to maintain a correspondence and communication with the other colonies, respecting those important considerations. They are also directed to request of his Honour the Governor, a copy of the commission to the Judges of the Court of Inquiry, said to be held in this colony, and of all such other papers as were laid before the said court, as he can consistently give; and to lay an account of their proceedings, from time to time, before the House.

The speaker is requested to transmit an account of these proceedings, to the speaker of the House of Burgesses of Virginia, and to the speakers of all the other Houses of Representatives in North-America.

Last Wednesday the Cruiser sloop of war, Captain Howe, sailed on a cruise, though we don't hear of any *openly avowed* ENEMIES on the coast.

NEW-YORK, April 29.

Yesterday afternoon arrived at the Watering-Place, his Majesty's ship Lively, Captain Talbot, ordered on this station by Admiral Montague, until the return of the Arethusa, Captain Hammond, gone to careen at Halifax.

On Friday last the sons of St. George, with the descendants from English families, celebrated the memory of their thrice renowned Patron, at Hull's tavern; his Excellency the General, his Majesty's Council, and the Judges, honoured this genteel assembly with their presence; a royal salute accompanied their gracious Sovereign's health, and the day and evening passed with that friendly gaity, which has ever presided in these anniversaries of the festal Albions.

The March mail, for New-York, was duly sent down to Falmouth the beginning of that month; but positive orders accompanied it to detain the packet until Lord Dartmouth's further commands for her sailing were received.

May 3. Yesterday arrived here from St. Vincents, in 29 days, the transport brig Pompey, Captain Healey, with part of the 31st regiment, the remainder having sailed for London: The transports for St. Augustine sailed from St. Vincents before them.

PHILADELPHIA, April 21.

We hear that a society of Gentlemen in Edinburgh, for the advancement and propagation of Arts and Sciences, have conferred on Mr. John Bartram, of Pennsylvania, Botanist to their Majesties, Fellow of the Royal Society, &c. &c. a curious Gold Medal, in testimony of the great respect they bear to the many ingenious and useful discoveries he has favoured them with, in the course of a long correspondence.

Extract of a letter from London, March 18, 1773.

"As to public news I know little of it; a war in Germany is expected; and some regulations in India matters, that will affect America, are talked of; one measure under consideration is, to establish India Ware-houses in America, where India goods will be sold in the same manner they are here; but whether this will take place or not seems uncertain: The affairs of the Company are at present under consideration of the House of Commons, and as the quantity of tea on hand is immense, it is expected some regulation will take place, that will admit of its being sent to America."

Sunday arrived here the ship Friendship, Captain M'Culloch, from Belfast, with 250 passengers.

ANNAPOLIS, *(Maryland)* April 29.

We are informed that his Excellency Robert Eden, Esq; our late Governor, has received a new commission under the Right Honourable Henry Harford, Esq; appointing and continuing him Governor of this province.

We are also further informed that his Excellency has this day issued proclamations to the several counties, notifying his appointment, and declared the General Assembly to be dissolved. New commissions are also issued to the provincial Magistrates, the several county Justices and Sheriffs.

It is said that writs of election also are issued, and that a new Assembly will be convened as early as possible.

SAVANNAH, *(in Georgia)* May 12.

The Honourable John Stuart, Esq; Superintendant of Indian affairs for the southern district, arrived here last Friday night from South-Carolina.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Isaac Antrobus, Esq; Collector of the country duties at the port of Sunbury, in the room of William M'Kenzie, Esq; deceased.

The brigantine Sally, George Stewart, master, from New-York, mostly loaded with King's stores, was lost the 18th ult. on St. Augustine bar, a small part of the cargo saved.

May 19. Ninety-five barrels of rice were sold on Thursday last at 10s. the 100 lb.

Sunday last sailed for Rhode-Island, the schooner Sally, Gideon Sowle, master, in which went passengers, Mrs. Sarzedas, Mr. John Stewart of Midway, and Mr. Jacob Jacobs.

Last Monday afternoon his Excellency the Governor, attended by several gentlemen, and escorted by Sir Patrick Houstoun's company of light infantry, set out for Augusta, to hold a congress with the Creek and Cherokee Indians, under three discharges of small arms from Captain Elbert's grenadier company. The Honourable John Stuart, Esq; Superindant, set out the day before.

ST. GEORGE'S, *(in Grenada)* March 27.

Yesterday his Majesty's ship the Lynx, Captain Scott, and schooner Delight, a flag of truce, returned to this port, from Marguerita, and Cumana, on the Spanish main, whither they had been dispatched to claim some slaves, that had made their escape from Cariouacou, and other Islands in this government; but, instead of meeting with that justice and civility which they had a right to expect, the Governors at both places, we are told, treated them with the greatest haughtiness and contempt, and refused to give them the smallest satisfaction.

CHARLES-TOWN, June 1.

We learn from St. Augustine, that Governor Grant has resigned that Government, and Colonel Tonyn is appointed in his Room.

Wednesday last the Brig Charles-Town Packet, Samuel Wright, Master, sailed for Philadelphia, in whom went Passengers Colonel Probart Howarth, Miss Croft, Miss Howarth, Miss Singletary, Colonel Christian Minnick, Dr. Morgan, Mr. Paul Hamilton, jun. Mr. Linton, Mr. Coates, Mr. Moyland, Mr. Woolfrys, Mr. Mylward, and sundry others.

Saturday last his Majesty's Packet Boat Le Despencer, Captain William Pond, arrived here in 43 Days from Falmouth; who informs us, that his Majesty's Packet Boat Eagle, Captain William Nicholls, (having on board the Right Honourable Lord Charles-Greville Montagu, our late Governor, his Lady, and Family) arrived at Falmouth the Day he sailed from thence.

The same Day the Ship Union, William Coombes, Master, sailed for London, in whom went Passengers Dr. William Roberts, and Family, Mr. John Peronneau, Mr. Robert Lindsay, and several others.

The Intelligence brought by the Packet, will be in a Supplement on Thursday next.

Sunday last the Sloop Charles-Town, Daniel Munro, Master, arrived here from Rhode-Island, in whom came Passengers Mr. Jonathan Badger, Mrs. Badger, Wife of Mr. Samuel Badger, and Mr. Ephraim Hickling, Distiller, for the new Distillery at Bromley, near this Town.

MARRIED.] Mr. James Jamieson, Merchant, to Miss Rebecca Simons, Daughter of Benjamin Simons, Esq; deceased. ---Captain Richard Estes, to Mrs. Mary Hickey.

DIED.] In London, on the 26th of March last, Mr. Evan Jones, late of this Town, Merchant.---On Edisto-Island, Mrs. Elizabeth Hamilton, aged 61 Years.---Mrs. Bull, Wife of Mr. Thomas Bull.

*** We have not been able to get the Entries for this Day's Gazette, on Account of the Holidays.

PRICE of RICE, 65s. per 100lb.

ALL Persons who may favour the Printer of this Gazette with their Advertisements, are requested to send the CASH with them, except where he owes Money, or has a running Account, as it will prevent disagreeable Circumstances, as well as Trouble,

To their humble Servant,
CHARLES CROUCH.

A *Few Bushels of the very best Sea Shore* INDICO SEED, *to be Sold at Four Pounds the Bushel, by*
WILLIAM SCOTT, jun.

LONDON PARTICULAR MADERA WINE.

A FEW Pipes of the Vintage 1771, and some of the Vintage 1772, esteemed to be of the best Quality for twenty Years past; and ten Pipes of London Wine; to be sold by
GEORGE-ABBOTT HALL, & Co.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.
COUNCIL CHAMBER, May 30, 1773.

WHEREAS his Majesty, by his Order in Council, dated at *St. James's*, the 7th Day of *April*, 1773, has been pleased to signify, that having taken into his Royal Consideration, the Justice and Expediency of subjecting the Grantees of Lands in his Colonies and Plantations in America, to other Conditions than those at present prescribed in the Instructions given to his Majesty's Governors in the said Plantations; and that the Authority for granting Lands, contained in the Commissions and Instructions given to his Majesty's said Governors, should be further regulated and restrained: And that, he had therefore been pleased to order that, the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations, should take into their immediate Consideration, the Powers and Authorities contained in the said Commissions and Instructions, and represent unto his Majesty such Alterations as they shall think fit and necessary to be made therein; and that it was his Royal Will and Pleasure, that in the mean Time, and until his Majesty's further Pleasure should be signified, that no Warrant of Survey for Land should issue, nor any Patent for Land pass, unless to such Commission or Non-Commission Officer or Soldier, as are intitled to Grants for Lands, by Virtue of his Majesty's Royal Proclamation, dated the 7th Day of *October*, 1763: I do hereby give public Notice thereof, to all whom it may Concern.

By Order of his Honour the Lieutenant-Governor,
JAMES SIMPSON.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.
CAMDEN DISTRICT.

WHEREAS at a Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Assize and General Gaol-Delivery, for the District aforesaid, begun and holden at Camden, on Monday the 5th of April, 1773.

Andrew Rembert, sen.

Being duly summoned and returned to serve as a GRAND-JUROR: And

John Kelly, | *Samuel Milhouse,*
William Richardson, | *Samuel Read,*

As PETIT-JURORS, made Default, and were noted for Non-Appearance.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the former will be fined in the Sum of *Ten Pounds*, Proclamation Money of America, and the latter in the Sum of *Five Pounds*, like Money, each, unless they shall respectively make good and sufficient Excuses, upon Oath, for their Non-Attendance, and transmit the same to the Crown-Office in Charles-Town, by the third Tuesday in October next.

JAMES JOHNSTON, C. C. & P.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.
CHERAWS DISTRICT.

WHEREAS at a Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Assize and General Gaol-Delivery, for the District aforesaid, begun and holden at Long-Bluff, on Thursday the 15th of April, 1773.

John Mitchell, | *Jesse Counseil,*

Being duly summoned and returned to serve as GRAND-JURORS: And

Jeremiah Fly, | *Theophilus Breter,*
Peter Kolb, |

As PETIT-JURORS, made Default, and were noted for Non-Appearance.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the former will be fined in the Sum of *Ten Pounds*, Proclamation Money of America, and the latter in the Sum of *Five Pounds*, like Money, each, unless they shall respectively make good and sufficient Excuses, upon Oath, for their Non-Attendance, and transmit the same to the Crown-Office in Charles-Town, by the third Tuesday in October next.

JAMES JOHNSTON, C. C. & P.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.
GEORGE-TOWN DISTRICT.

WHEREAS at a Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Assize and General Gaol-Delivery, for the District aforesaid, begun and holden at George-Town, on Monday the 26th of April, 1773.

George Burrows, | *Moses Miller,*
Abraham Giles, |

Being duly summoned and returned to serve as GRAND-JURORS: And

John Matthews, | *David Lemon,*
Giles Powers, |

As PETIT-JURORS, made Default, and were noted for Non-Appearance.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the former will be fined in the Sum of *Ten Pounds*, Proclamation Money of America, and the latter in the Sum of *Five Pounds*, like Money, each, unless they shall respectively make good and sufficient Excuses, upon Oath, for their Non-Attendance, and transmit the same to the Crown-Office in Charles-Town, by the third Tuesday in October next.

JAMES JOHNSTON, C. C. & P.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.
CAMDEN DISTRICT.

WHEREAS at a Court of Common-Pleas, begun and holden at Camden, on Monday the 5th of April, 1773.

Richard Featherston, | *William M'A Dow,*
Robert Ramsey, | *Samuel Boykin,*
Gilbert Dunlap, |

Being duly summoned and returned to serve as JURORS at the said Court,

Made Default, and were noted for Non-Appearance:

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That they will fined in the Sum of *Five Pounds*, Proclamation Money of America, each, unless they shall respectively make good and sufficient Excuses, upon Oath, for their Non-Attendance, and transmit the same to the Court of Common-Pleas in Charles-Town, by the Third Tuesday in October next.

THOMAS TURNER, D. C. C. P.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.
CHERAWS DISTRICT.

WHEREAS at a Court of Common-Pleas, begun and holden at Long-Bluff, on Thursday the 15th Day of April, 1773.

Benjamin James, | *John Speight,*
Edward Williams, | *Edward Jones,*
James Kelly, |

Being duly summoned and returned to serve as JURORS at the said Court,

Made Default, and were noted for Non-Appearance:

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That they will be fined in the Sum of *Five Pounds*, Proclamation Money of America, each, unless they shall respectively make good and sufficient Excuses, upon Oath, for their Non-Attendance, and transmit the same to the Court of Common-Pleas in Charles-Town, by the Third Tuesday in October next.

THOMAS TURNER, C. C. & P.

To be LET, and entered on immediately,
THE Back STORE and CELLAR, in Gadsden's-Alley, adjoining my Printing-Office. Apply to
CHARLES CROUCH.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.
GEORGE-TOWN DISTRICT.

WHEREAS at a Court of Common-Pleas, begun and holden at George-Town, on Monday the 26th of April, 1773.

CHARLES DEWITT,

Being duly ſummoned and returned to ſerve as a JUROR at the ſaid Court, made Default, and was noted for Non-Appearance:

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, that he will be fined in the Sum of *Five Pounds*, Proclamation Money of America, unleſs he ſhall make a good and ſufficient Excuſe, upon Oath, for his Non-Attendance, on or before the 26th Day of November next.

WILLIAM RUGELEY, C. C. P.

AMONGST other Articles ſuitable for the Summer Seaſon, the Subſcriber has imported, a Parcel of very cheap Caſſamiers, from the Manufacturers, viz. Buff Colour, at 45s. per Yard, deep blue at 50s. per Yard, Saxon blue at 45s. per Yard, deep Claret at 50s. per Yard, and Spaniſh White at 45s. per Yard, to be had at his Store oppoſite the Exchange.

WILLIAM DOUGHTY.

For NEW-YORK,
(To ſail by the Tenth Inſtant)
The SLOOP
NEW-YORK PACKET,
JESSE HUNT, Maſter.

FOR Freight, or Paſſage, having very good Accommodations, apply to the ſaid Maſter on board, at Beale's Wharf.

☞ Who has a Quantity of good OATS to ſell.

JOHN JAMES intending to depart the Province, deſires all Perſons whoſe Accounts are ſtanding beyond the uſual Time, to ſettle the ſame; and all Perſons who have any Demands againſt him to call and receive Payment: He likewiſe gives Notice, that he is ready to appear, anſwer, or file Bail to any Suit, Summons or Proceſs, that may be iſſued or brought againſt him, in Terms of the Attachment Act.

JOHN JAMES, returns his ſincere Thanks to thoſe who have been pleaſed to favour him with their Cuſtom, and now ſolicits a Continuation to JOHN JAMES, and JAMES NEILSON, who have entered into Co-partnerſhip, under the Firm of

JAMES & NEILSON,

Who have juſt imported in the Brig Charles-Town Packet, Samuel Wright, Maſter, from Philadelphia,

SUPERFINE Flour in Barrels, Half Barrels, and Kegs, Hopkins's Butter, Milk, Water, and Pilot Bread, Ship ditto, hard Soap, Spermaceti Candles, Philadelphia Rum in Hogſheads and Quarter Caſks, ſweet Cyder, Salt-petred Hams, Horſe Collars and Hames, &c. &c.

For SALE by private Contract, purſuant to the Will of Dr. THOMAS CAW, *deceaſed*;

HIS valuable plantation on *Santee* river, adjoining lands of Colonel *Horry*, Mr. *Pringle*, and Mr. *Dutarque*, containing 1070 acres, part of which is an iſland of 730 acres of fine rice land, that does not require any fencing, and of it about 150 acres are cleared, the reſt of the tract is good high land, and the whole ſo well known as not to need any further deſcription. On the above tract are a good dwelling-houſe, a very large barn, large ſtores for rice, very large and good ſtables, an exceeding good rice machine, and a grits mill, with every other neceſſary building. Schooners that carries 150 barrels of rice, loads cloſe to the barn.

Alſo, another TRACT of LAND on *Stephen's* creek, a branch of *Savannah* river, adjoining lands of *John Murray*, Eſq; containing 1000 acres, and is eſteemed as good as any land in thoſe parts. For the terms of ſale, apply to ROBERT PHILP, JOHN DEAS, } Executors.

Tbctf.

TO BE SOLD by Auction, at the uſual Place in Charles-Town, on Thurſday next, the 3d Day of June, at Twelve o'Clock,

The Sloop BEAUFAIN,
EDWARD INGHAM, Maſter.

BURTHEN about 260 Barrels of Rice, Bermuda built, with all her Rigging, Sails, &c. as ſhe now lyes at Mr. Motte's Wharf.

SAMUEL PRIOLEAU, jun. & Co.

WHEREAS on Friday Night laſt, the Dwelling-Houſe of Meſſrs. *Rugeley* & *Chatteris*, without Charles-Town Gates, was entered by ſome Perſon or Perſons unknown, and the undermentioned Articles ſtolen from thence: This is to requeſt any to whom they may be offered for Sale, to ſtop them and the Party.—— Whoever can give ſuch Information as may ſerve to bring the Perſons concerned in the ſaid Robbery to Juſtice, ſhall on their Conviction receive FIFTY POUNDS, Currency, Reward.—One plain Scarlet Cloth Coat; one Scarlet Coat, lappel'd with black Velvet; two Pair of light coloured Cloth Breeches; one red Morocco Pocket Book with Steel Claſp; one Liver coloured Violin, remarkable for having one of the Apertures near the Bridge cut much larger than the other. *May* 31, 1773.

LOST between Mr. *Champneys's* Place and the Quarter-Houſe, a gilt METAL WATCH in a green Fiſh-ſkin Caſe.

St. James's Pariſh, Santee, May 22, 1773.

NOTICE is hereby given, to all Perſons liable to work on the High Roads, &c. in this Pariſh, that they render an Account, upon Oath, of all their Male Slaves, from the Age of Sixteen to Sixty Years, on or before the Firſt Monday in Auguſt next, to any of the Subſcribers, Commiſſioners for this Pariſh, otherwiſe Executions will be granted againſt every Defaulter, without Diſtinction.

PAUL DOUXSAINT,
DANIEL HORRY,
THOMAS HORRY,
JACOB MOTTE,
ELIAS BALL,
CAPERS BOONE,
LEWIS MILES,
RICHARD WITHERS,
JOHN DRAKE.

HAWKINS, PETRIE, & Co.

Have imported in the Heart of Oak, *Captain* Gunn,

A very large Value in DRY GOODS;

Among which is a great Variety of the finer Sort.

THEY HAVE ALSO RECEIVED,

Part of their NEGRO CLOTH,

And are to have the Remainder in the next Veſſel,

With a further Supply of Summer Goods.

May 4, 1773.

The above GOODS are now opened,

And conſiſt of a large Aſſortment of printed GOODS,

AMONG WHICH ARE

Some at 7s. 6d. the Yard, for Negroes wear, with a Quantity of low priced Handkerchiefs, plain, ſtriped, and flowered Muſlins, India Chints, ſtriped Carry-derries, Beer-ſuckers, Ginghams, and Linen Drapery of every Kind; a Variety of plain and flowered Modes, Sarſnets, Pelongs, and Satins, white and coloured Gauzes, Gauze, painted, and other faſhionable Ribbons, Laces, Edgings, and Trimmings, of all Sorts; a few very handſome dreſt Caps, Silver and Gold Threads, Purls and Spangles, Silk and Satin Petticoats, of all Colours, ſome of the very beſt; Thread, Cotton, and Silk Hoſe, ſome of each very large Sizes, and the Silk of the neweſt Faſhion; Broad-Cloths, Caſamires and Sagathies; a Quantity of Bombazine, and all other Mourning Articles; ready made Drab and Fuſtian Cloths, and Slops; about 250 Pieces of India and French Silks, viz. plain Gorgoroons, and figured Pariſſans for Mens wear, plain, ſtriped, and painted Taffetas, Brocade, flowered, and painted Luteſtrings, flowered and painted Satins, and painted Gauzes, 100 Pieces of India Silk Handkerchiefs, alſo a good Choice of plain and ſtriped Engliſh Silks.—The ſtriped Engliſh Silks will be ſold at 750 per Cent. Advance; the India and French Silks, (which were bought much under their Value) at 775 per Cent. and their Goods in general (except in ſmall Quantities) at 800 per Cent. Advance, for ready Money; a Quantity of fine Hats, ſome very faſhionable, and others with large Brims, that were ſent without Orders, and will be ſold very low; two very handſome Wilton Carpets, and Carpetting to cut; a freſh Supply of beſt Seine Twine; Bohea, Green, and Hyſon TEAS, of the fineſt Qualities, juſt opened. *June* 1, 1773.

BRIAN CAPE,

Has imported in the Heart of Oak, Captain Gunn, and the laſt veſſels from London and Briſtol,

A variety of GOODS,

Suitable for the ſummer ſeaſon, which will be ſold on the moſt reaſonable terms, at his ſtore on the Bay, near the Exchange,

FASHIONABLE Caſimers, with ſuitable trimmings, princes ſtuff, ſerge de roys, ſilk jeanets, neat pink and blue ſpotted ve verets, ſome faſhionable ſilks, Iriſh ſhirting and ſheeting linens of all prices, Ruſſia drab; a very large variety of printed linens, and India chintzes, table cloths, a great variety of faſhionable linen and ſilk handkerchiefs, figured and ſtriped lawns of all prices, lawn aprons of various faucies and prices, elegant ſuits of tambour aprons and ruffles, tambour jackets, done in gold with ſpangles, flowered and plain jeckonet muſlins very cheap; a variety of cotton and thread hoſiery, a large aſſortment of china, conſiſting of compleat ſetts of table and tea china, very neat and faſhionable cups and ſaucers, plates, bowls, ſome of which have china covers, a large aſſortment of glaſs ware, among which are, ſome very elegant cut decanters, wine and jelly glaſſes; a cheſt of very fine hyſon tea, juſt opened, commonly called gunpowder tea, which is of a much finer flavour than what is uſually imported, being deſigned for home conſumption; a large conſignment of the neweſt faſhioned ribbons, from a manufactory in Coventry, which he will ſupply houſes with on as reaſonable terms as they can be imported from London.

He has alſo for ſale, by the Hogſhead, or Quarter-Caſk, for Caſh or ſhort Credit, a quantity of fine proof Grenada RUM, alſo, a few Hogſheads of Muſcovado SUGAR, and COFFEE.

N. B. Very neat SILK UMBRELLAS, for ſale.

THE Subſcriber intending for the Weſt-Indies in a few Weeks hence, deſires thoſe to whom he is indebted to call for Payment, and thoſe who are indebted to him to call and ſettle with him previous to the 20th of Auguſt next. JOHN LIGHTWOOD,

At Mr. E. Lightwood's Compting-Houſe in Tradd-Street.

STOLEN out of my Yard in King-ſtreet, the Beginning of laſt Month, a bay HORSE, about 13 Hands high, with a bow Mane, and ſhort ſwitch Tail, branded on the mounting ſhoulder IM. Any Perſon that brings the ſaid Horſe to the Subſcriber in Tradd-ſtreet, ſhall have TWO DOLLARS Reward.

HENRY SLADE.

N. B. Private BOARDING and LODGING, and good Entertainment, at his Houſe in Tradd-ſtreet.

RUN-AWAY from the Subſcriber, about 4 Weeks ago, Two Indian Men, the one named WILL, is ſhort and thick made, had on a blue Pea Jacket, Trowſers, a Hat, and a Blanket; the other named JOHN, is taller, had on a plain Robin, Shirt, Trowſers, a Hat, and a Blanket. Will can ſpeak ſome Engliſh, but John cannot ſpeak any. It is ſuppoſed that they have gone towards Santee or the Sea-Shore. As they have been pitied and maintained at different Places for ſeveral Days, the Subſcriber therefore deſires that no Perſon will harbour or ſupport them, but that they be ſecured and ſent Home, or to the Work-Houſe in Charles-Town.

May 25, 1773. ROBERT COLLINS.

ALL Perſons in *Charles-Town*, who are in Arrears for this GAZETTE, to the Firſt of January laſt, HAVE THIS PUBLIC NOTICE given them, that in the Courſe of this Month, they will be waited upon by my Apprentice, for Payment.

CHARLES CROUCH.

TO BE SOLD,
On Monday the 7th of June Inſtant,
A CARGO OF
Remarkable Prime, and Healthy
SLAVES,
In Number
THREE HUNDRED and FIFTY,

JUST arrived in the Snow *Venus*, Captain *Thomas Goodwin*, from the *Gold-Coaſt*.

ROGER SMITH,
ALEXANDER INGLIS.

TO BE SOLD,
On TUESDAY the 8th Day of JUNE, INSTANT,
A CARGO OF
SIXTY-FIVE
Healthy, and very likely grown
SLAVES,

JUST arrived in the Sloop SWIFT, *Captain* STEPHEN DEANE, *directly from GAMBIA.*

MILES BREWTON.

TO BE SOLD,
On Tueſday the 8th Day of June Inſtant,
A CARGO OF
One Hundred and Seventy-four
Whydah NEGROES,

ARRIVED in the Ship *Liberty*, Capt. *George Crump*.

ALSO,

A CARGO OF
ONE HUNDRED and FIFTY-FIVE
Sierra-Leon NEGROES,

ARRIVED in the Brigantine *Stanley*, Captain *John Abſon*. The abovementioned Cargoes are directly from the Coaſt: The Slaves likely, and in good Order.

POWELL, HOPTON, & Co.

Juſt arrived in the Ship *Greyhound*, Captain *Terence O'Neal*, after a ſhort Paſſage from AFRICA,

A CARGO OF
ONE HUNDRED and THIRTY
Very Likely and Healthy
NEGROES,

To be SOLD, on TUESDAY *the 8th Day of* JUNE *Inſtant.*

ROGER SMITH,
ALEXANDER INGLIS.

Charles-Town, May 29, 1773.

TO BE SOLD.
On TUESDAY *the 8th Day of* JUNE *next*;
A CARGO OF
ONE HUNDRED and TWENTY
Very Likely and Healthy
SLAVES,

Juſt arrived in the Snow GAMBIA, Captain JAMES WILLIS, after a ſhort Paſſage, from GAMBIA.

ROGER SMITH,
ALEXANDER INGLIS.

Charles-Town, May 26, 1773.

JUST ARRIVED,
UPWARDS OF
ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY
HEALTHY
NEGROES,
From CAPE-MOUNT,
(A RICE COUNTRY)

Which will be ſold on Tueſday the 8th Day of June next;

By EDWARDS, FISHER, & Co.

Charles-Town, May 29, 1773.

JUST ARRIVED in the Ship
THOMAS, EDWARD LYON, Maſter, from ANGOLA,
ONE HUNDRED & SIXTY
VERY PRIME
NEGROES,
IN EXCELLENT ORDER,

Which will be ſold on Tueſday the 8th Day of June next;

By EDWARDS, FISHER, & Co.

Charles-Town, May 28, 1773.

TO BE SOLD,
On Tueſday the 8th Day of June next,
One Hundred and Ninety
YOUNG and HEALTHY
NEGROES,

JUST arrived in the Snow *Africa*, *Gavin Fraſer*, Maſter, in a ſhort Paſſage, directly from the Coaſt of *Africa*.

INGLIS & LLOYD.

Charles-Town, May 29, 1773.

TO BE SOLD,
On Tueſday the 8th Day of June next,
A CARGO OF
ONE HUNDRED and FORTY
Prime SLAVES,
YOUNG and HEALTHY,

JUST arrived in the Ship *Friendſhip*, Captain *Andrew Mackenzie*, from the *Gold Coaſt*, by JOHN SIMPSON, & Co.

ROBERT STOTT,

TAKES this Opportunity of acquainting his Friends, that as there is an abſolute Neceſſity for ſettling the Affairs of the late Co partnerſhip of *Robert & Nathaniel Stott*, ſuch as are indebted thereto, are requeſted to make immediate Payment, as he intends going for England by the Firſt of July nex; all Accounts then unpaid, will be left in the Hands of an Attorney at Law, to be ſued for without Diſtinction; ſuch as have any Demands againſt the ſaid Co partnerſhip, are deſired to call for Payment.

He likewiſe acquaints his Friends, that he has entered into Co partnerſhip with William Lawrence,
Under the FIRM of

ROBERT STOTT, & Co.

Who have received by the laſt Ships from England,

AN ASSORTMENT of GOODS for the preſent Seaſon, and ſhall have their Negro Cloth and Winter Goods out early in July next. As *Robert Stott* intends reſiding in England, to have the Opportunity of ſending Goods out upon the beſt Terms, and *William Lawrence*, (who has aſſiſted in their Store for almoſt ſix Years paſt) will pay his utmoſt Attention to the Buſineſs here; they hope to give general Satisfaction to whoever may be pleaſed to favour them with their Orders.

†

St. John's Pariſh, Berkley County, May 12, 1773.

THIS is to give NOTICE, to all Perſons, as well Reſidents as Non-Reſidents, who have not paid their Tax for the Re-building of *Watboo* and *Biggin* BRIDGES, that unleſs they pay the ſame to either of us Commiſſioners, on or before the Thirtieth Day of June next, Executions will abſolutely be granted againſt all Defaulters, without Diſtinction.

EDWARD HARLESTON,
HENRY RAVENEL,
DANIEL RAVENEL, jun.
JAMES CORDES, jun.
DANIEL RAVENEL,
JAMES RAVENEL,
JOB MARION,
PETER WITTEN,
NATHANIEL SAVINEAU,
ELIAS BALL, jun.

THE Subſcribers give this public Notice, that the Partnerſhip of *George & John Blaikie*, will expire the Firſt of JUNE next, from which Time, the Buſineſs will be carried on under the Firm of *John Blaikie*, & Co. to whom they beg their Friends and Cuſtomers will continue their Favours.

GEORGE BLAIKIE,
JOHN BLAIKIE.

To be LET, and may be entered upon immediately,

A Very convenient Houſe and Garden in King-ſtreet, lately occupied by Mr. John Marley.

Alſo, the large and commodious Carriage Houſe and Stables in Meeting-ſtreet, lately occupied by Mr. John Jackſon, jun. Apply to the Printer.

TO BE SOLD at public Vendue, on Thurſday the 17th Day of June next, if a fair Day, if not, on the firſt fair Day after, at the Plantation of the late William Rowſer, in Chriſt-Church Pariſh,

SEVERAL NEGROES, Horſes, Cattle, Hogs, and Houſhold Furniture, being the Eſtate of WILLIAM JOY, deceaſed. The Conditions will be made known on the Day of Sale, by

THOMAS WHITESIDES, Executor.

MATHIAS HUTCHINSON,

CHAISE MAKER, in Queen-ſtreet,

RETURNS his ſincere Thanks to thoſe of his good Cuſtomers for their paſt Favours, and hopes for a Continuance of the ſame.—He has a neat light COACH, almoſt finiſhed, which he flatters himſelf will be ſuperior to thoſe imported from the Northward, and not much inferior to thoſe from England, which he will ſell reaſonable.

N. B. He has lately imported from London, a ſmall Aſſortment of Coach and Chaiſe Trimmings.—He has alſo a neat Chaiſe, and a double Windſor Chair, for Sale.—All Kinds of Harneſs made of the beſt Materials.

TO BE SOLD on Thurſday the 17th of June next, at the Plantation of Mr. Iſaac Dubois, deceaſed, in St. Stephen's Pariſh;

ALL the Houſhold Furniture of the ſaid deceaſed, conſiſting of a variety of genteel and uſeful Articles, a neat Riding Chair, ſeveral valuable Horſes, Part of a Stock of fine tame Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, &c.—The Conditions of Sale, will be Caſh, for all Sums under *Twenty Pounds*, and for all above, Credit will be given till the Firſt Day of January next, paying Intereſt, and giving approved Security, from the Day of Sale.

PETER GOURDINE,
JOHN GAILLARD,
DAVID GAILLARD,
} Executors.

N. B. All Perſons indebted to ſaid deceaſed, are deſired to ſettle to our Satisfaction before the 17th of June next; and all thoſe having any Demands, are deſired to deliver them in properly atteſted.

Charles-Town, May 24, 1773.

RUN-AWAY a few Days ago from the Subſcriber, a Negro Wench, named FLORA, a Waſher and Ironer: 'Tis ſuppoſed ſhe has gone into the Country, being acquainted with many Boat Negroes. A Reward of FIVE POUNDS will be paid on Delivery of her to me in Charles-Town.

BENJAMIN VILLEPONTOUX.

§

CAPTAINS of Veſſels, and others, may be ſupplied with the following Articles: OAKUM, SPUN-YARN, POINTS, and GASKETS; likewiſe the beſt of Mats for Houſe-Floors, made of Rope-Yarn.

All which Articles will be ſold greatly under the common Price, by MICHAEL KALTREISEN,
Warden of the Work-Houſe.

TO BE SOLD at public Outcry, on Monday the 14th of June next, at the Plantation of THOMAS-LOUGHTON SMITH, *Eſq; deceaſed, in the Pariſh of St. James, Goose-Creek, purſuant to his laſt Will, being Part of his perſonal Eſtate;*

THIRTY valuable SLAVES, among whom are two Gardeners, a very good Man Cook, well known in Town by the Name of Dillon's Jack, a ſenſible Fellow that can drive a Carriage and look after Horſes, and a Carpenter; moſt of the reſt good Houſe and Field Negroes, with a ſmall Stock of Cattle, Hogs, and Sheep, Plantation Tools, &c. *Alſo,*

Three very likely, able, and well-broke bay coloured Engliſh GELDINGS, uſed to a Carriage, in excellent Order, and match well.

And on Wedneſday the 16th of June next, will be SOLD at the late Dwelling Houſe of the ſaid deceaſed, in Charles-Town;

A Variety of genteel and uſeful Houſhold Furniture, particularly the ſeveral Articles in the Dining Room, (which have been but lately imported) are eſteemed to be elegant of their Kinds. *Likewiſe,*

A handſome London made COACH, with two Sets of Harneſs compleat.—Two Pipes of beſt London particular Madera WINE.

The Conditions of the above Sales, are Twelve Months Credit, with Intereſt from the Day of Sale, and approved Security, for all Sums above *Two Hundred Pounds*, and Caſh for all Sums under; the Property not to be altered, until the Terms are complied with.

The CREDITORS of ſaid Eſtate, are deſired to ſend in their Accounts, properly atteſted, and receive Payment; likewiſe thoſe indebted, to ſettle with

GEORGE INGLIS, Executor.

Charles-Town, May 19, 1773.

Juſt arrived in the Ship BLOSSOM, Captain WILLIAM BRIGGS, directly from CAPE MOUNT, on the Grain Coaſt of Africa,

A CARGO, conſiſting of
TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTY
PRIME and HEALTHY
NEGROES,

And to be SOLD on the uſual Terms, on TUESDAY *the* FIRST *Day of* JUNE *next, by*

Robert, John, and J. Smyth.

THE Subſcribers give this laſt Notice, to thoſe indebted to the Eſtate of *John Mackenzie*, Eſq; deceaſed, that unleſs they make Payment by the Firſt of *July* next, they will be certainly ſued.

JOHN PARKER,
WILLIAM STOUTENBURGH,
ROGER SMITH,
} Executors.

For LONDON,
Or COWES and a MARKET,
The SHIP
QUEEN-CHARLOTTE,
HUGH ROSE, Maſter.
For Freight or Paſſage, apply to ſaid Maſter, at ROWAND's Wharf, or to
ALEXANDER ROSE.

TO BE SOLD on very low Terms, for ready Money, or ſhort Credit, by the Package,

A Few Trunks of printed Calicoes and Chintzes, India Taffeties, Paduſoys, printed Satins and Gauzes, juſt imported in the Carolina-Packet, White, from LONDON, by CHARLES OGILVIE.

To be LET, and entered on immediately,

A Brick TENEMENT in Colleton-Square, late the Property of Thomas Walker, deceaſed, in which is eight Rooms; alſo a Kitchen, Lodging-room, Pantry, and Store-room, all in the Cellar; the Whole thoroughly repaired, and neatly done; there is a Brick Chaiſe houſe and Stable, with a Brick Well in the Yard. Apply to

WILLIAM BANBURY.

For LONDON,
(To ſail in ten Days)
The SHIP
MERMAID,
SAMUEL BALL, ſen. Maſter.
For Freight or Paſſage, having excellent Accommodations, apply to the ſaid Maſter on board, at MOTTE's Wharf.

LOST, ſuppoſed to be Stolen, within a few Days paſt, out of the Subſcribers Store, two Pieces of Bruſſels LACE. Whoever can give Information, ſo as to convict the Thief, ſhall have ONE HUNDRED POUNDS Reward; and the ſame Sum on ſtopping the Party who may offer the ſame for Sale, to be paid on Conviction.

ATKINS & WESTON.

For PHILADELPHIA,
The BRIG
FRIENDSHIP,
WILLIAM MOORE, Maſter.
HAS excellent Accommodations for Paſſengers, and will ſail the 4th of next Month.——For Freight or Paſſage, apply to ſaid Maſter on board at Rowand's Wharf, or
DANIEL & ISAAC BOURDEAUX.

Who have imported, and are now ſelling on board ſaid Veſſel,

Flint Corn, Oats, Ship Bread, Flour, and a few Boxes of Tallow Candles.

TO BE SOLD,

A LOT of LAND, pleaſantly ſituated at the South End of King-ſtreet, containing Forty-five Feet front on the Eaſt Side of ſaid Street, and One Hundred and Fifty-two Feet in Depth. For further Parculars, enquire of POWELL, HOPTON, & Co.

JUST IMPORTED FROM LONDON,
In the *Union*, Captain *Coombes*, and *Carolina-Packet*, Captain *White*,

By Z. KINSLEY,

AND NOW OPEN FOR SALE,
At his STORE,
Late Meſſrs. STOTT's, in BEDON's-ALLEY,

A FRESH ASSORTMENT of GOODS, conſiſting of Articles as under, all which were purchaſed by his Agent at the beſt Markets with Caſh; and as he intends going for England in about four Months, he is determined, for ready Money, or, if to a conſiderable Amount, at ſhort Credit, to ſell much under the common Advance: He takes this Opportunity of returning his moſt hearty Thanks to all his Friends and Cuſtomers for their paſt Favours.

A LARGE and elegant Aſſortment of printed Linens and Calicoes, light & dark Ground Chintzes, all new Spring Patterns, from 12s. 6d. to any Price,
Blue and red ſtriped Ginghams,
Blue and red Cotton Romals,
A curious Aſſortment, to the Amount of 300 Guineas, in Fancy and common printed Handkerchiefs,
Manchester and Scots checked ditto,
Checks for Aprons and Shirts,
Iriſh Linens of all Breadths and Prices,
Long and clear Lawns and Cambricks,
Flowered and plain bordered Lawn Handkerchiefs and Aprons,
Curious flowered Minionet Lawns and Needle-work Aprons,
Striped, figured and plain Muſlins,
Yard and 6-4 wide Book ditto, ſome of which are exceeding fine,
Book Muſlin, bordered Handkerchiefs at 27s. 6d. to 32s. 6d. the Piece,
Ruſſia, Lancaſhire, and Iriſh Sheeting,
Flanders and common Ticking for Beds,
Bed Bunts and Bolſter Ends,
Table Linen of all Sorts,
Figured and plain Dimities,
Marſeilles Quilting for Ladies Petticoats,
Ditto in Covers for Beds, very curious, at 25l. the Piece,
Striped, flowered, plain, brocaded Silks and Satins, fit for Ladies Gowns or Summer Wear for Gentlemen,
Black Bombazines,
A Piece of Superfine Scarlet Broad Cloath at 7l. 17. 6d. the Yard,
Faſhionable Summer Colours, ditto with Trimmings ſuitable at 6l. 15s. the Yard,
Sagathies,
Duroys, and Serges,
Kerſeymeers,
Figured and plain black Modes and Satins,
Plain, ſtriped and flowered Gauzes,
Bordered Gauze Handkerchiefs and Gauze for Pavilions,
Skeleton and Pound Wires, for Caps,
A large Quantity of black and Blond Lace, Mechlin, Minionets, Trollies, Edgings and Footings,
Figured and plain Ribbons to the Amount of 400 Guineas, which will be ſold *very cheap*,
Ladies faſhionable Riding-hats,
Mens fine and coarſe ditto,
Covering and fine Chip ditto,
Mens coarſe and fine Shoes,
Ladies white and coloured Leather ditto,
Brocaded, Silk, and Satin ditto,
Stuff ditto,
Men and Womens Gloves and Mitts of all Sorts,
Silk, Thread and Cotton Stockings,
Worſted and Silk Pieces for Breeches,
Silk, Satin, and Calimanco Petticoats,
A few compleat Sets of Ivory-handle Knives and Forks, with a *large Aſſortment* of *Cutlery*,
Bohea and Green Tea,
Loaf Sugar,
Scots Snuff and Roll Tobacco,
Black Pepper, Mace, Cloves, &c. &c. &c.

THE Church-Wardens and Veſtry of St. John's, Berkley County, advertiſe, that all Defaulters, Reſident or Non-Reſident, who have hitherto neglected paying their Aſſeſſments for the Poor Tax, and do not make proper Returns, and pay up all their Arrears for the Years 1771, and 1772, to JAMES CORDES, PETER GOURDINE, or RICHARD MASON, Collectors thereof, within three Weeks from this Date, will after that Time, moſt certainly be proceeded againſt as the Law directs, and its hoped they will avail themſelves of this Notice. *May* 19, 1773.

§

TO BE LET, and may be entered upon directly, at a moderate Rent,

THE upper Part of the Houſe where I keep my Store; it has five Rooms, pleaſantly ſituated for the Summer, and would ſuit a Bachelor extremely well.

WILLIAM DOUGHTY.

AN OVERSEER who is acquainted with Plowing, Mowing, and making of Hay, is wanted to take the Charge of a Plantation on Charles-Town Neck. One ſo qualified, that can bring a proper Certificate of his Sobriety, Honeſty, and Induſtry, will meet with good Encouragement. Apply in King-ſtreet, to

SARAH BULLARD.

RUN-AWAY from the Subſcriber, ſometime in November laſt, a well ſet Negro Man, named JACK, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, very black, and has loſt one of his fore Teeth from the lower Jaw, a Mark down the Middle of his Forehead, and has formerly worked at the Ship-Carpenters Trade in Charles-Town, where 'tis ſuppoſed he is now harboured, as he has been ſeen ſeveral Times on White-Point. This is to offer a Reward of *Fifty Pounds* Currency, to any Perſon that will prove he is harboured by a white Perſon, and *Ten Pounds* if by a Negro, or *Twenty Pounds* Currency, if delivered to the Warden of the Work Houſe, or to VALENTINE LYNN.

STRAYED or Stolen from Thomas Broughton's Plantation, in St. John's Pariſh, a gray Gelding, about 14 *Hands high, branded* B, *paces, trots, and canters, was formerly the Property of Captain John Barkley, at the Waxhaws.*

Alſo, a black Mare, branded on the mounting Buttock T B, *with a Diamond between, and on the off Buttock* I K, *trots and canters, was formerly the Property of Mr. David Kar, of North Carolina. Whoever delivers the ſaid Strays to me, in St John's Pariſh, or to Mr. John Scott in Charles-Town, ſhall receive a reward of* TWENTY POUNDS, *and all reaſonable Charges.* JAMES EDMONDS.

§

STRAYED or Stolen, on Wedneſday the 28th *of April laſt, out of a Paſture at the Quarter-Houſe, a bay* HORSE, *with a Star in his Forehead, branded on the near Buttock like a W, one hind Foot white, and lame in one of his fore Feet. Whoever takes up and delivers the ſaid Horſe to Mr.* John Creighton, *at the Quarter-Houſe, or to* Lander Fairchild, *Butcher, in Charles-Town, ſhall receive* Five Pounds *Reward.*

CHARLES-TOWN: Printed by CHARLES CROUCH, in Elliott-Street.